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## Unemployment insurance claims for the week ending August 26, 2000

There was a decrease in the number of regular unemployment insurance claims filed in Indiana during the week ending August 26 according to the Department of Workforce Development.

### UI Benefit STATS

Regular state & federal benefits paid	\$5,319,854
Regular benefits paid year to date	\$201,446,880
Trust fund balance	\$1,615,798,393

A total of 32,116 unemployment claims were filed during the week. This was down 1,266 from the preceding week. In the same week one year ago, 27,400 unemployment claims were filed.

Initial UI claims totaled 3,772 a decrease of 374 over the preceding week's total. Layoffs were reported at one motor vehicle-related plant during the week.

Continued UI claims were down to 27,624. The remainder of total unemployment claims were filed by federal civilian employees and ex-military personnel.

## Unemployment Insurance Trends

